January 5, 2009 DEQ/Public Notice

PUBLIC NOTICE: ISSUE DATE: January 5, 2009

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY WATER DIVISION

P. O. Box 1105 Richmond, Virginia 23218 Telephone: (804) 698-4000

PROPOSAL(S) TO ISSUE/REISSUE/AMEND/TERMINATE VA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (VPDES) PERMIT(S) AND STATE DISCHARGE CERTIFICATE(S) TO DISCHARGE TO STATE WATERS, PURSUANT TO U.S. PUBLIC LAW 92-500 AS AMENDED AND SECTION 62.1-44.2 ET SEQ OF THE CODE OF VIRGINIA AS AMENDED.

The municipal, industrial or private facility owners on the attached list has applied for VPDES Permits and State Certificates to discharge treated wastes into the waters of the Commonwealth of Virginia, or for reissuance or amendment of existing permits.

The applicants treat or propose to treat sewage and/or industrial wastewaters conveyed to the treatment facilities, prior to discharge. On the basis of preliminary review and application of lawful standards and regulations, the Department of Environmental quality (DEQ) proposes to issue/reissue/amend/terminate the permit(s) subject to certain effluent limitations and special conditions. These proposed determinations are tentative.

PROCEDURES FOR FORMULATION OF FINAL DETERMINATIONS

Persons may comment in writing to the DEQ on the proposed permit within 30 days from the date of newspaper public notice. Comments shall include address and phone number of the writer, and shall contain a complete, concise statement of the factual basis for the comments. Only those comments received within this period will be considered by the DEQ. The DEQ may, upon request or upon its own motion, decide to hold a public

hearing if it determines that public response is significant. As of September 1, 1985, the mailing notice will be <u>informational only</u> and is considered to be confirmation of newspaper notices and not the official notice for comments.

All pertinent information is on file and may be inspected and arrangements made for copying at the Regional Office having jurisdiction as indicated in the first column of the attached list:

Southwest Regional Office, 355 Deadmore Street, P. O. Box 1688, Abingdon, Virginia 24212-1688, (276) 676-4800.

Blue Ridge Regional Office –Roanoke (WCRO), 3019 Peters Creek Road, Roanoke, Virginia 24019, (540) 562-6700.

Valley Regional Office, 4411 Early Road, P. O. Box 3000, Harrisonburg, Virginia 22801, (540) 574-7800.

Northern Regional Office, 13901 Crown Court, Woodbridge, Virginia 22193, (703) 583-3800.

Piedmont Regional Office, 4949-A Cox Road, Glen Allen, Virginia 23060, (804) 527-5020.

Tidewater Regional Office, 5636 Southern Boulevard, Virginia Beach, Virginia 23462, (757) 518-2000.

Blue Ridge Regional Office –Lynchburg (SCRO), 7705 Timberlake Road, Lynchburg, Virginia 24502, (434) 582-5120.

Following the newspaper notice comment period, the DEQ will make its determination regarding name, the proposed permit. These determinations will then become effective unless the DEQ grants a public hearing. Due notice of any public hearing will be given.

Permit Applicants **Name and Address**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Richmond (Central Office) – P. O. Box 1105, Richmond, Virginia 23218

The purpose of this notice is to seek public comment on a draft permit from DEQ that will allow a surface water withdrawal in Amherst County, Virginia. Applicant: Amherst County; P. O. Box 100, Madison Heights, Virginia 24572; Permit No. VA0080619. The applicant proposes the temporary disturbance of approximately 0.735 acre of the James River bottom for construction and operation of a permanent surface water intake structure; the placement of fill in approximately 0.018 acre of Harris Creek for the replacement of an existing riprap dam, located upstream of the existing intake structure at the H. L. Lanum Water Treatment Plant, with a new concrete dam of approximately the same dimensions and in the same location; the continued impoundment of approximately 1,250 linear feet of Harris Creek behind the replaced dam, and the withdrawal of surface water from the James River and Harris Creek at the maximum rate of 3 million gallons per day (mgd) and 3.2 mgd, respectively. The DEQ contact is: Brenda Winn, Phone: (804) 698-4516; Email: bkwinn@deq.virginia.gov; Fax: (804) 698-4032.

Piedmont Regional Office – 4949A Cox Road, Glen Allen, Virginia 23060

The purpose of this notice is to seek public comment on a draft permit from DEQ that will the filling of wetlands and open water in Chesterfield County, Virginia.

Applicant: Chesterfield County, P. O. Box 40, Chesterfield, Richmond, Virginia 23832; Permit No. VA00082064. The applicant is requesting a Virginia Water Protection Individual Permit to authorize the filling of wetlands and open water in order to add two additional lanes and improve the Woolridge Road causeway over Swift Creek Reservoir. The DEQ contact is: William Pfeifle, Phone (804) 527-5074; Email: wrpfeifle@deq.virginia.gov; Fax (804) 527-5106.

Valley Regional Office - 4411 Early Road, P. O. Box 3000, Harrisonburg, Virginia 22801

The purpose of this notice is to seek public comment on a draft permit from DEQ that will allow the continued release of treated wastewater into a water body in Augusta County, Virginia. Applicant: Augusta County Service Authority, P. O. Box 859, Verona, Virginia 24482; Permit No. VA0088188. Facility: Weyers Cave WTP, 328 Dices Spring Road, Weyers Cave, Virginia. The applicant proposes to release industrial wastewater at a rate of 0.011 million gallons per day into Naked Creek, U.T. in Augusta County in the Naked Creek watershed. The DEQ contact is: Kate Lago, Phone: (540) 574-7850, Email: kblago@deq.virginia.gov; Fax: (540) 574-7878.

Blue Ridge Regional Office-Roanoke (WCRO), 3019 Peters Creek Road, Roanoke, Virginia 24019

The purpose of this notice is to seek public comment on a draft permit from DEQ that will allow the release of treated wastewater and storm water into a water body in Bedford County, Virginia. Applicant: James E. Owen Trucking, Inc., 1901 Blackwater Road, Forest, Virginia 24088; Permit No. VA0092410. The applicant proposes to release storm water and treated industrial wastewater a rate of 3,000 gallons per day into a water body. The DEQ contact is: Kevin A. Harlow, Phone: (540) 562-67688; Email: kaharlow@deq.virginia.gov; Fax: (540) 562-6725.

Southwest Regional Office (SWRO), 355 Deadmore Street, P. O. Box 1688, Abingdon, Virginia 24212

The purpose of this notice is to seek public comment on a draft permit from DEQ that will allow the release of treated wastewater into a water body in Wythe County, Virginia. Applicant: Town of Wytheville, P. O. Box 533, Wytheville, Virginia 24382; Permit No. VA002081. Facility: Wytheville Wastewater Treatment Plant, 852 Atkins Mill Road, Wytheville, Virginia. The applicant proposes to release treated sewage at the rate of 4.0 million gallons per day (mgd) in Red Creek in Wythe County in the New River watershed. The DEQ contact is: Fred Wyatt, Phone (276) 676-4810; Email: fmwyatt@deq.virginia.gov; Fax (276) 676-4899.

The purpose of this notice is to seek public comment on a draft permit from DEQ that will allow the release of treated wastewater into a water body in Grayson County, Virginia. Applicant: Town of Fries, P. O. Box 452, Fries, Virginia 24330; Permit No. VA0067881. Facility: Fries Sewage Treatment Plant, 1000 Sewer Plant Road, Fries, Virginia 24330. The applicant proposes to release treated sewage at the rate of 0.220 million gallons per day into a water body, New River in Grayson County, in the New River watershed. The DEQ contact is: Steve Artrip, Phone (276) 676-4810; Email: seartrip@deq.virginia.gov; Fax (276) 676-4899.

^{*} The public may review any draft permit and applications at the DEQ offices named above by appointment.